

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:

James N. Dieffenderfer et al.

Confirmation No.: 9456

Application No.: 10/810,235

Filed: March 26, 2004

Art Unit: 2183

For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR
DECREASING THE LATENCY BETWEEN
INSTRUCTION CACHE AND A PIPELINE
PROCESSOR

Examiner: Aimee J. Li

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated October 5, 2006, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

No fees are believed to be due with this amendment.